Roudy Mounir Sassine

EXPERIENCE

Senior Press Officer, Byblos Bank S.A.L. Beirut, Lebanon (December 2012- January 2020)

- Prepared and coordinated the execution of comprehensive media plans on financial literacy
- Wrote, edited, and proofread English and Arabic media related materials
- Managed content for corporate and marketing communications, including socio-economic, regulationsand policy-related for Senior Management's interviews and editorials

Researcher and Project Coordinator, LEAD, Dbayye, Lebanon (February 2011-August 2012)

 Conducted research and drafted policy-research papers related to Education, Electricity, Minimum Wage, Foreign Direct Investment and Real Estate

Research Associate, ECE Consultants, Ashrafieh, Lebanon (June 2009-December 2009)

 Researched, analyzed, and created reports on the socio-economic conditions and human rights situation in Akkar, Hermel and Baalbeck. ("Multi-Sector Assessment of Border Communities Adjacent to the <u>Lebanon-Syria</u> Borders", commissioned by UNDP)

Fikra Young Scholar, Washington Institute for Near East Policy Washington D.C., United States of America (May 2009-June 2009)

 Worked on a report on electoral politics and political leadership in Lebanon. Submitted for Fikra program.

Facilitator, Baldati, Elissar, Lebanon (January 2008-December 2008)

- Facilitated group discussions for "Citizen Lebanon", a civic education and advocacy project funded by the National Democratic Institute (NDI)
- Wrote instructional materials for "Baldati Academy," a project funded by USAID/OTI

Research Assistant, Lebanese Emigration Research Center, Notre Dame University Zouk Mikayel, Lebanon (May 2006-December 2007)

Researched materials and prepared reports for:

- "Insecurity, Migration and Return: The Case of Lebanon following the summer 2006 war", published by the Euro-Mediterranean Consortium for Applied Research on International Migration (CARIM) 2007
- "The Impact of the Summer 2006 War on Migration in Lebanon: Emigration, Re-Migration, Evacuation, and Return", authored by Guita Hourani and Eugene Sensenig-Dabbous and published by NDU Press in 2006.

SELECT AWARDS AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- CFA Institute Investment Foundations Certificate, CFA Institute, United States of America, November 2017
- Full Scholarship, Leaders for Democracy Fellow, the Middle East Partnership Initiative (MEPI), Syracuse University, the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, United States of America, March 16-June 12, 2009

EDUCATION

- BA in Political and Administrative Sciences, Lebanese University, Beirut, Lebanon (2007)
- MS in Economic Theory and Policy, Levy Economics Institute, Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, New York State (January 2020 - Present)